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Letter from Henry Pu - Yi to Gen,  
Honjo, Kwantung Army Comdr., dated  
10 March 1932.

I wish hereby to state by means of this letter that since the outbreak of the Manchurian Incident your country has endeavoured to its best ability to maintain order and tranquility on all the frontiers of Manchukuo and Mongolia and for that reason great losses have been inflicted upon both the troops and people of your country, for which the present Regent entertains a deep feeling of gratitude and at the same time, recognizes that the security and development of our country depend absolutely on the assistance and guidance of your country. So, I wish to mention the following items and seek the approval of your country.

1. Our country entrusts to your country the national defence and the maintenance of order and peace from now on, we to bear on our part all expenditures required therefor.
2. Our country agrees to entrust to your country or any organ or organs designated by your country the control of all railroads, harbours, water-routes, air-routes, etc. now already built, as well as the laying of new routes.
3. Our country will, to the best of its ability, render assistance to the troops of your country in equipment and facilities of all sorts which they (the troops of your country) deem needful.
4. Certain persons of knowledge and renown of your country shall be appointed councillors of our country, and your

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nationals be adopted in the central and local government offices on recommendation of the commander of your Army. Their dismissals shall be made on the approval of the same Commander. In case there is any proposition from your country, when the number of Japanese councillors appointed by the aforesaid clause are to be changed their increase and reduction shall be decided by the consultation of the two countries.

5. The purport and provisions of every item of the above shall be made the basis of a treaty to be formally concluded between the two countries in the future.

March 10, 1932  
(the 1st year of Daido)

Fu - Yi

General Shigeru Honjo,  
Commander of the Kwantung Army  
of the Japanese Empire.

CERTIFICATE

Statement of Source and Authenticity

1. HAYASHI Kaoru, Chief of Archives Section, Japanese Foreign Office, hereby certify that the document hereto attached in Chinese consisting of 3 pages and entitled "Letter dated 10th March, 1932 from Pu - Yi to General Honjo Commander of the Kwantun. Army."

is an exact and true copy of an official document of the Japanese Foreign Office.

Signed at Tokyo

on this 24th day of August, 1946.

K. Hayashi  
Signature of Official

Witness: Nagaharu Ogo

Translation Certificate.

I, Charles D. Sheldon, Chief of the Defense Language Branch, hereby certify that the foregoing translation described in the above certificate is, to the best of my knowledge and belief, a correct translation and is as near as possible to the meaning of the original document.

/s/ Charles D. Sheldon.

Tokyo, Japan  
Date 19th Sept. 1946.